

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of) Docket No. 2008-0303
HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC.)
HAWAII ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY, INC.)
MAUI ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED)
)
For Approval of the Advanced Meter Infrastructure)
(AMI) Project and Request to Commit)
Capital Funds, to Defer and Amortize)
Software Development Costs, to Begin)
Installation of Meters and Implement Time-Of-Use)
Rates, for Approval of Accounting and Ratemaking)
<u>Treatment and other matters.</u>)

LIFE OF THE LAND'S
SIGNED PROTECTIVE ORDERS.
FIRST INFORMATION REQUESTS

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

HENRY Q CURTIS
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EXHIBIT A

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
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PROTECTIVE AGREEMENT

1. I, HENRY Q CURTIS, have been presented with a copy of Protective Order filed by the Hawai'i Public Utilities Commission in Docket No. 2008-0303 on the 29th day of April, 2009 ("Protective Order").

2. I am employed, retained or assisting Life of the Land in Docket No. 2008-0303, am a "Qualified Person" pursuant to paragraph 12 of the Protective Order, and have requested review of the confidential information covered by the Protective Order.

3. I understand the confidential information covered by the Protective Order is to be used solely to assist Life of the Land as provided for in paragraph 15 of the Protective Order (and paragraph 17 in the case of rendering assistance to the Consumer Advocate), and that I am to make no other use of the confidential information, nor am I to disclose the confidential information to any other person unless otherwise permitted by the Protective Order.

4. I further understand that at the conclusion of my assistance to Life of the Land, I shall account for each copy, extract, note and summary of, or other document containing any part of such confidential information to the party claiming confidentiality and I shall abide by the provisions in paragraph 28 of the Protective Order, unless otherwise permitted by paragraphs 29 and 30 of the Protective Order.

5. I hereby certify that I have read the above-mentioned Protective Order and agree to abide by its terms and conditions.

DATED at Honolulu, Hawaii.

Henry Q Curtis 4/29/09
Signature

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1. I, Kat Brady, have been presented with a copy of Protective Order filed by the Hawai'i Public Utilities Commission in Docket No. 2008-0303 on the 29th day of April, 2009 ("Protective Order").

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Kat Brady 4.29.09
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The purpose of the Advanced Meter Infrastructure (AMI) Project is to build the Smart Grid of tomorrow. How will it improve the grid from the capabilities of the existing grid?

The delta, the amount of improvement, is the change between the capabilities of the future grid and the capabilities of the current grid. To calculate it you need to know the capabilities of the current grid (the baseline information).

To what level can we achieve what we want to achieve with the current configurations? What will be the cost of the upgrades? Is it worth it?

To understand the current capabilities, the current HECO, MECO & HELCO grids are being analyzed through various integration studies.

(a) Please provide a list of grid integration studies that have been started or completed in the past five years, including draft reports, final reports, reports in progress, and anticipated and budgeted future reports.

(b) For each report listed please identify the timeline of the report, the author, which parts are confidential and why, and who the contact person is for the utility.

(c) Please provide redacted and unredacted versions of each report.

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The original and eight copies of the foregoing signed Protective Orders and First Information Request was filed with the Commission and a copy was served on the other parties listed below, postage prepaid and properly addressed to the following:

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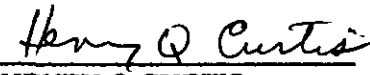
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